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For: APPARATUS AND SYSTEM FOR
PROTECTION, CONTROL, AND
MANAGEMENT OF ELECTRICITY
DISTRIBUTION SYSTEMS USING
TIME SYNCHRONIZATION

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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

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In response to the Advisory Action dated November 10, 2005, please enter the following preliminary amendment: